AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please insert the following new section immediately before the "Description of Preferred Embodiments" in the specification:

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE FIGURES

[009.1] These figures illustrate certain aspects of some of the embodiments of the present invention, and should not be used to limit or define the invention.

[009.2] FIGURE 1 illustrates a portion of a subterranean formation treated using an embodiment of the present invention.